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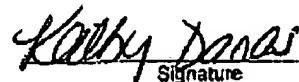
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2005, for which
the three-month date for response is Monday, September 19, 2005.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21
be required for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Advanced
Micro Devices, Inc.'s Deposit Account 01-0365/TT3762.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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